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In re the Application of:

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For: CARPET BACKINGS PREPARED FROM VEGETABLE OIL-BASED POLYURETHANES

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 18, 2004, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.